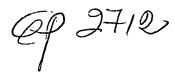
08/848,243



In re Application of:

MASATOSHI NAGANO

Application No.: 08/848,243

Filed: April 29, 1997

For: VIDEO CAMERA HAVING A

MATERIAL ELEMENT FOR

CONTROLLING LIGHT TRANSMISSION

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Washington, D.C. 20231

Docket No. 35.C9371 CONT. II

Examiner: J. Wilson

Group Art Unit: 2712

Date: December 22, 1998

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Group 2700

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

X No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5 PRES EXT	ENT RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 45	MINUS	** 45	= 0	x \$9 \$18	0
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 15	MINUS	*** 15	= 0	x \$39 \$78	0
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$130°/\$260						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT 0						0

^{*} If the entry in Column 2 is less than the entry in Column 4, write "0" in Column 5.

$^{\circ}$ Verified	Statement	claiming	small	entity	status	is	enclosed,	if	not
 filed prev	viously.								

^{**} If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.

^{***} If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.

	A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
	Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
X	Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
X	A check in the amount of $$870.00$ to cover the Extension fee for response within 3 months is enclosed.
	A check in the amount of \$ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
X	Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below listed address.
	Attorney for Applicant Reg. No.31,500

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated June 22, 1998, the period for response having been extended for three months by the accompanying Petition for Extension of Time to and including Tuesday, December 22, 1998, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Kindly amend Claims 1-6 and 9 as follows:

1. (Five times amended) A video camera

omprising:

a physical element, arranged in a

photographing optical system having a light transmission

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